

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Applicant	:	George D. Blankenship	
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Commissioner of Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir/Madam:

This letter is responsive to the Examiner's Office action of June 24, 2009. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendments to the Specification** - none.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** - none.

**Remarks** begin on page 22 of this paper.